

Order Denying Motion to Reopen Case and Denying as Moot Application to Proceed in Forma Pauperis

⁴ ECF No. 14.


1 because he had regained his box of legal papers.⁵ Johnson's motion pertains to 10 cases,
2 including this one, that he filed in this District and purports to include a report from Las Vegas
3 Metropolitan Police Department documenting Johnson's claim that his box of legal papers was
4 missing.⁶ No such report was actually included with the motion.

5 Although I am sympathetic to Johnson's claim that he was without his legal papers for
6 some time, that does not explain why he failed to timely comply with Magistrate Judge Koppe's
7 order to or seek to extend the time to do so. It appears from the one-size-fits-all approach that
8 Johnson used for his motion that he has not kept himself informed of the status of his many cases
9 in this District. Johnson has not demonstrated that the without-prejudice dismissal of his claims
10 was the product of his excusable neglect or that good cause exists to set my dismissal order aside
11 and reopen this case.

12 I THEREFORE ORDER that Johnson's motion to reopen this case (**ECF No. 15**) is
13 **DENIED**. If Johnson wants to pursue the claims that were at issue in this case, he must file a
14 complaint in a **new action** and pay the required fee or file an application to proceed in forma
15 pauperis for non-prisoners.

16 I further order that Johnson's motion to proceed in forma pauperis (ECF No. 14) is
17 **DENIED** as moot. **No other documents should be filed in this closed case.**

18 Dated: January 11, 2022

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21 U.S. District Judge
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⁶ *Id.*